## DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN BANGALORE CITY AND OTHER IMPORTANT TRADE CENTRES IN THE STATE.

*Price as on Saturday the 24th November 1945.*

| | *Names of commodities* | *Trade description* | *Wholesale unit of weighment or measures* | *Retail unit of weighment or measures* | *Wholesale prices in Bangalore (Average)* Rs. a. p. | *Retail prices in Bangalore* | *Remarks* |
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| | | **GRAINS AND PULSES.** | | | | | |
| 1 | Rice in the husk (Paddy). | Karubhatta (local) ... | 640 seers | Rupees | ... | ... | Converted into rice and sold |
| | | Maralakanti (do) ... | Do | Do | ... | ... | |
| 2 | Rice not in the husk. | Fine ... ... ... | 100 seers | Do | 32 3 0 | 3 Seers | Controlled |
| | | Medium ... ... ... | Do | Do | ... | 3½ ,, | |
| | | Coarse ... ... ... | Do | Do | ... | 4 ,, | Controlled |
| 3 | Ragi ... | Duyam-Black (local) ... | 100 seers | Do | 15 9 0 | 6 seers | Controlled |
| | | Superior-Red do ... | Do | Do | | | |
| 4 | Tur ... | Gulbarga (imported) ... | 100 seers | Do | No stock | ... | |
| | | Ordinary variety (local) ... | Do | Do | | | |
| 5 | Tur Dhal ... | Local ... ... ... | Do | Do | 42 to 45 0 0 | 2 1/8 to 2½ ,, | |
| | | Imported variety ... | Do | Do | | | |
| 6 | Avare ... | Pulses locally grown ... | Do | Do | 52 0 0 | 1 7/8 ,, | |
| 7 | Avare dhal ... | Local ... ... ... | Do | Do | 50 to 52 0 0 | 1 7/8 ,, | |
| 8 | Horsegram ... | Do ... ... ... | Do | Do | 25 0 0 | 3½ ,, | |
| 9 | Bengalgram ... | Do ... ... ... | Do | Do | 50 0 0 | 2 ,, | |
| 10 | Blackgram ... | Do ... ... ... | Do | Do | 44 0 0 | 2½ ,, | Controlled |
| 11 | Greengram ... | Do ... ... ... | Do | Do | 33 to 38 0 0 | 2¾ to 3 ,, | |
| 12 | Jawar ... | Ordinary variety ... ... | Do | Do | 15 9 0 | 6 ,, | Controlled |
| | | **OILS AND OIL SEEDS.** | | | | | |
| 13 | Gingelly oil ... | Expeller Oil (local) ... | 28 lbs. | Seer | 12 to 12 8 0 | 0 5 6 | |
| 14 | Castor oil ... | Do do ... | 28 ,, | Do | 14 0 0 | 0 6 0 | |
| 15 | Groundnut oil | Do do ... | 28 ,, | Do | 11 0 0 | 0 5 0 | |
| | | Do (Imported) ... | 28 ,, | Do | | | |
| 16 | Cocoanut oil ... | Cochin-white do ... | 28 ,, | Do | No stock | 0 8 0 | |
| 17 | Kerosene oil ... | White B O. C. or Socony ... | 8 gallons in bulk bottle | | ... | 0 3 9 | |
| 18 | Copra ... | Dried and ripe (local) ... | 25 lbs. | Viss | 13/8 to 14 0 0 | 1 11 0 to 1 12 0 | |
| 19 | Castor seed ... | Local ... ... ... | 165 lbs. | Rupee | 25 0 0 | 3¼ to 3¾ seers | |
| 20 | Gingelly ... | Do ... ... ... | 255 seers | Do | 120 to 125 0 0 | 1¾ to 2 ,, | |
| 21 | Groundnut ... | Shelled (local) ... ... | 100 ,, | Do | 30 to 32 0 0 | 3 to 3½ ,, | |
| | | Do (imported) ... ... | 210 seers or | Do | ... | ... | |
| | | Unshelled (local) ... ... | Maund 53⅓ lbs. | Kolaga of 10 seers | ... | 1 10 0 | |
| | | **OTHER ARTICLES OF FOOD** | | | | | |
| 22 | Coffee ... | Plantation peaberry ... | Cwt. ... | Viss ... | 140 0 0 | 4 2 0 | |
| | | Do parchment ... | Do ... | Do ... | 135 0 0 | 3 15 0 | |
| | | Native peaberry... ... | Do ... | Do ... | 135 0 0 | 3 15 0 | |
| 23 | Cardamoms ... | Local—unbleached ... | 24 lbs. ... | Tola ... | 50 0 0 | Average 0 1 0 | |
| 24 | Cocoanuts ... | Assorted sizes (local) ... | No. 1,000 ... | Rupee ... | 140 to 160 0 0 | 6 0 0 to 7 0 0 | |
| 25 | Arecanut ... | Deshavarm (local) ... | Md. of 40 seers | Viss ... | ... | ... | Shimoga |
| | | Rajalu (local) ... | Do ... | Do ... | ... | ... | |
| | | Malabar Chooru (Imported) | Md. of 40 seers. | Do ... | ... | ... | |
| 26 | Jaggery ... | Cube local ... | 24 lbs. ... | Do ... | 4/12 to 4 14 0 | 0 9 6 to 0 10 0 | |
| | | Oonde local ... ... | 24 ,, ... | Do ... | ... | ... | |
| 27 | Sugar ... | Refined-local ... ... | 24 ,, ... | Do ... | ... | 0 11 0 | |
| | | Kolar Bura ... ... | Do ... | Do ... | ... | 0 12 0 | Controlled |
| | | White Bura ... ... | Do ... | Do ... | ... | 0 12 0 | |
| 28 | Wheat flour ... | Local ... ... | 196 lbs. ... | Rupee ... | ... | 0 8 3 | |
| 29 | Maida ... | | ,, ... | Do ... | ... | 0 11 0 | Controlled |
| 30 | S jee ... | | ,, ... | Do ... | ... | 0 11 0 | |
| 31 | Tamarind ... | Husked and half cleaned (local). | 210 lbs. ... | ,, viss ... | 20 to 24 0 0 | 0 5 0 to 0 6 0 | |
| 32 | Coriander ... | Local ... ... | 100 local measures. ... | Rupee ... | 41 to 43 0 0 | 2 to 2½ seers | |
| 33 | Chillies (dry) ... | Local ... ... | 26 lbs. ... | Viss | 18 0 0 | 2 4 0 | |
| | | Imported variety ... | Do ... | | | | |
| 34 | Potatoes ... | Assorted sizes (local) ... | 31 mds. of 32 lbs. ... | ,, | ... | 0 10 0 | |
| 35 | Ghee ... | Mandya (superior) local ... | 26¼ lbs. ... | ,, | 40 0 0 | 5 0 0 | |
| 36 | Salt ... | Bombay—Black (imported) | 2⅝ Ry. mds.... | Rupee | 12 4 0 | 8½ seers | |
| | | **TEXTILES AND OTHER MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS.** | | | | | |
| 37 | Cotton, raw ... | Machine ginned ... ... | 500 lbs. ... ... | | 213 0 0 | ... | Chitaldrug |
| 38 | Cotton yarn—20s. | Grey—local ... ... | 10 ,, ... ... | | 11 0 0 | ... | |
| | | Do imported ... | 10 ,, ... ... | | ... | ... | |
| 39 | Silk, raw ... | Mysore—Charaka-reeled ... | Lb. ... ... | | ... | ... | Controlled |
| 40 | Wool, raw ... | Mixed Live (local) ... | 25 lbs. ... ... | | 12 12 8 | ... | ,, |
| 41 | Cotton piece-good:. | Grey, Indian—Dhoties ... | Lb. ... ... | | 2 8 0 | ... | ,, |
| 42 | Copper. ... | Sheets ... ... | Cwt. ... ... | | 236 4 0 | ... | |
| 43 | Brass or yellow metal. | Do ... ... | Do ... ... | | 225 0 0 | ... | ,, |
| 44 | Cast iron ... | Local castings ... ... | Do ... ... | | ... | ... | |

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